

## FARM AND FIRESIDE.

**A very easy method of removing spots of candle grease, etc., from a carpet, is to lay over them coarse brown paper, and on it set a warm iron; take off in a few minutes, and the grease will be found on the paper. If one application does not entirely remove, try again.**

**To Cure Sore Throat.**—Take the whites of two eggs and beat them with two spoonfuls of white sugar; grate in a little nutmeg, and then add a pint of lukewarm water. Stir well and drink often. Repeat the prescription if necessary, and it will cure the most obstinate cases of hoarseness in a short time.

**To Mend China.**—Take a very thin solution of gum-arabic, and stir into it plaster of Paris until the mixture is of a proper consistency. Apply it with a brush to the fractured edge of the China, and stick them together. In a few days it will be impossible to break the article in the same place. The whiteness of the cement renders it doubly valuable.

A farmer writes: "Last year I collected a lot of bones and reduced them in the following manner: Put them into a large arch kettle or boiler, with an equal bulk of good hard wood ashes; then poured in water enough to make a thin mortar, and boiled the mass from one to two hours, when the bones became completely dissolved or broken down, with the exception of a few hard shin bones. The mass was shoveled into a box, and allowed to remain a week or so, when the remainder of the bones completely disappeared. Before using, I dried it off with lime and plaster, and ground it fine with a hoe. A little was used in the hills of different crops, with excellent results."

**HOUSEHOLD TIPS.**—Some cooks will throw out the water in which meats have been boiled, without letting it cool to take off the fat.

Tubs and barrels are left in the sun to dry and fall apart.

Nice handled knives are thrown into hot water.

Silver spoons are used to scour kettles.

Cream is allowed to mould and spoil.

Coffee, tea, and pepper and spices are left to stand open and lose their strength.

The cork is left out of the molasses jug, and the flies take possession.

Vinegar is drawn in a tin basin, and allowed to stand until both basin and vinegar are spoiled.

**GRINDING WHEAT WITHOUT MILL-STONES.**—A paper was recently read before the British Association of Science, at Edinburgh, upon a new mill for grinding wheat. It is described as reducing the grain by percussion while it is unsupported and projected through the air.

When passing through the machine, the wheat is struck by a series of bars moving in opposite directions which reduce the wheat so quickly to a state ready for bolting that no injurious heat is caused; hence the flour is superior to that obtained by the usual process, and produced at less cost. An Edinburgh firm has one of these disintegrating flour-mills in full operation, and its advantages over the millstones that it supersedes are stated to be that it rarely needs repairs, requires fewer men, is free from loss by scorching, occupies less space, requires less drying-power, and produces a superior quantity of flour.

"O mamma!—Uncle Ned has got an awful lonesome old house!"

"Why, Joe," said his mother, "I thought it was a very pleasant, cheerful house."

"But you was mistaken mamma; there isn't any grandma to that house, and so when the mamma's out shopping there's nobody there to love little children. I think a house is awful that hasn't any grandma in it, don't you?"

"Yes, darling, I do," said his mother; "and we wouldn't give our grandma away for all the big houses, and fine furniture and lovely pictures of Uncle Ned's, would we?"

"I guess not," cried the loving little fellow; "it's just like having two mammas to have a grandma."

**MURDER OF JOHN SIMPSON.**—On Saturday night between seven and eight o'clock, an altercation occurred at the co-operative store, near the Charlotte Railroad Depot, between John Simpson, white, and Bill Lucas, William Dennis and Hans Bridges, colored, which resulted in the stabbing of Simpson with a pocket-knife by Lucas, which caused his death in a few moments.

It seems that the parties went into the co-operative store in company, all of them more or less under the influence of liquor, cursing and swearing, and while procuring some article called for, some words passed between Simpson and Lucas about powder and shot, which one of the party was to procure at Hamburg's. The negro Lucas becoming noisy and threatening to fight, was put out of the store by the clerks, and Simpson passed out at the same time, in spite of the effort to keep him in. In a few moments those in the store heard a scuffle outside, and on running out, saw Simpson held by Dennis, and struck by Lucas with the knife. Simpson staggered into the door of the store, where he fell and was assisted to the counter, when he remarked that he was hurt, and after sitting about a minute he fell to the floor, and on being raised up it was found that life was extinct.

An inquest was held on Sunday night, by Coroner Coleman, and a verdict found in accordance with these facts, that the deceased was killed by a weapon in the hands of Lucas, and that Dennis was found aiding and abetting the murderer, and they were committed to jail for trial. Simpson was a tinner, employed at the shops of the Charlotte Railroad, and was a dissipated man. A short time since he connected himself with the Sons of Temperance in this city, but soon returned to his former habits, and his untimely end was the result. Bill Lucas is known as a bad character, who is not unknown at the Trial Justices' Courts, and when examined at the jail after the murder, a dagger was found on his person.

[South Carolina.]

## COMMERCIAL.

**ORANGEBURG COTTON MARKET.**  
CORRECTION.—Sales for the week ending March 19, about 75 bales. Ordinary 18c; good ordinary 19c; low middling 20c; middling 21c.

## Prices Current.

PREPARED FOR THE TIMES.			
[CORRECTED WEEKLY.]			
Cotton	15	@	22 1/2
Bacon Hams	16	@	00
" Sides	10	@	11
Lard	15	@	16
Corn	90	@	1 00
Peas	1 00	@	0 00
Oats	1 25	@	0 00
Flour	4 50	@	0 00
Fodder	1 00	@	0 10
Sweet Potatoes	6	@	75
Shad	50	@	75
Rice	1 55	@	0 00
Butter	25	@	30
Eggs	15	@	15
Turkeys	2 00	@	2 50
Geese	1 00	@	1 25
Chickens	25	@	30
Bees Wax	16	@	20
Beef	16	@	12
Tallow	10	@	11

**CHARLESTON MARKETS.**  
CHARLESTON, March 18.—Cotton strong; middling 22c.

RICE.—Market firm with a moderate business; sales 80 tierces common to good at 7 1/2 @ 8 1/2c.

Gold, buying at 110; selling at 111.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

There will be let out to the lowest bidder the contract to build the harbor or shed, at Lime-stone Camp Ground, on Friday, 12th of April, at 11 o'clock, A. M. The plan will be specified on that day. W. C. Wolfe, Sec'y.

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## Sheriff's Sales.

### ORANGEBURG COUNTY.

In Common Pleas.

Mary B. Treadwell, Adm'r. vs. John H. Fanning, et al.

By virtue of an order of the said Court in the above stated case, I will sell on the first Monday in April next, at Orangeburg Court House, during the legal hours of sale, at the risk of the former purchasers, they having failed to comply with terms of sale, the following lots in the Town of Orangeburg, viz:

Farm Lots Nos. 3, 4, 5, 17, 18, 19, 35, 42, 56, 57, 65, 58, 59 and 60; the same being part of the Real Estate of which the late Wm. R. Treadwell died, seized and possessed.

Plats of the same may be seen at the Sheriff's Office.

TERMS.—One third cash, balance on a credit of one, two and three years, secured by bond and mortgage of the purchaser, with interest from day of sale, payable annually on the whole amount, until the whole bond is fully paid up, and satisfied, and to pay for papers, stamps and recording.

ALSO,

By virtue of sundry Executions to me directed, I will sell to the highest bidders, at the same time and place, the following property, viz:

One tract of land containing 103 acres more or less, bounded north by estate lands of Gabriel Myers, east by A. J. Collier, west by estate of B. C. Myers; and south by Mrs. C. Easterlin. The remainder after the termination of the Estate of Homestead in 205 acres, bounded by lands of estate of Gabriel Myers, estate P. C. Myers, A. J. Collier and Joel Ephraim (the same being the homestead of Levi Myers.) Levied on as the property of Levi Myers, at the suit of Joseph A. Keller, Guardian.

ALSO,

One tract of land containing 329 acres more or less, bounded by lands of T. E. Robinson and John Hooker. The remainder, after the termination of the Estate of homestead in 209 acres, bounded by lands of Jos. Knotts, Jos. Farley and T. E. Robinson, (the same being the homestead of Henry Gissendanner.) Levied on as the property of Henry Gissendanner, at the suit of J. P. M. Fours.

ALSO,

One tract of land containing 220 acres more or less, on Whirlwind Branch, in Edisto Fork, on both sides Binniker road, bounded by lands now or formerly of W. S. Dudley, L. Wissenhant, J. Riley, est. S. Beach and Mrs. Srinson. Levied on as the property of T. K. Sasportas at the suit of T. C. Andrews.

ALSO,

One tract of 100 acres, more or less, in Edisto Fork, bounded by lands of W. L. Ehney, E. R. Walker, J. P. Eartin and J. W. Phillips. Levied on as the property of Bolen Phillips, at the suit of Peter Rowe.

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